

## PROFILE

### PRAIRIE VIEW A&M UNIVERSITY

- ▶ Established as the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas for Colored Youths in 1876, changed to Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College 1889, to Prairie View University in 1945, to Prairie View Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas in 1947, and to Prairie View A&M University in 1982.
- ▶ Prairie View A&M University is a land-grant and statewide special purpose institution, providing education and services to students of diverse ethnic and socio-economic backgrounds.
- ▶ Academically organized into 7 Colleges: (1) Agriculture & Human Sciences, (2) Arts and Sciences, (3) Business, (4) Education, (5) Engineering, (6) Nursing, (7) Juvenile Justice & Psychology; a School of Architecture; a Graduate School; and a University College.
- ▶ Offers 42 undergraduate, 39 master's degree programs, and 3 doctoral programs. (01/04)
- ▶ The average age of students in fall 2002 was 24; the statewide average was 25.

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|-----------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| ▶ The percent of part-time faculty was: | <u>1993</u> | <u>2002</u> |
| PVAMU                                   | 17.3%       | 18.6%       |
| Statewide                               | 25.8        | 32.1        |

- ▶ The ethnic origin of students in fall 2002 was:

|                                      | <u>PVAMU</u> | <u>Statewide</u> |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|------------------|
| White                                | 5.6%         | 55.9%            |
| Black                                | 89.5         | 10.6             |
| Hispanic                             | 2.3          | 20.4             |
| Asian or Pacific Islander            | 0.8          | 6.0              |
| American Indian/Alaskan Native       | 0.1          | 0.5              |
| Non-Resident Aliens or Foreign Nat'l | 1.5          | 5.9              |
| Other/Unknown                        | 0.1          | 0.8              |

- ▶ Fall 2002 enrollment distribution by geographic source:

|                 |                     |                |
|-----------------|---------------------|----------------|
| <u>In-State</u> | <u>Out-of-State</u> | <u>Foreign</u> |
| 93.9%           | 4.5%                | 1.7%           |

- ▶ Full-Time Student Equivalent Enrollment:

|               | <u>1998</u>  | <u>1999</u>  | <u>2000</u>  | <u>2001</u>  | <u>2002</u>  |
|---------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Undergraduate | 4,503        | 4,759        | 5,094        | 5,146        | 5,279        |
| Graduate      | 654          | 690          | 682          | 743          | 933          |
| Total         | <u>5,157</u> | <u>5,449</u> | <u>5,775</u> | <u>5,890</u> | <u>6,212</u> |

|                         |             |             |             |             |             |
|-------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| ▶ Headcount Enrollment: | <u>1998</u> | <u>1999</u> | <u>2000</u> | <u>2001</u> | <u>2002</u> |
|                         | 5,995       | 6,273       | 6,609       | 6,747       | 7,255       |

- ▶ Program Activity; September 1997 through August 2002:

|               | <u>New Programs</u> | <u>Phased out or being phased out</u> |
|---------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Baccalaureate | 2                   | 9                                     |
| Master's      | 8                   | 0                                     |
| Doctoral      | 1                   | 0                                     |

- ▶ Teacher Preparation: Examination for the Certification of Educators in Texas (ExCET)  
Current Status: Accredited

#### Test Results from September 2000 to August 2002:

First time test takers' pass rate: 67%;      Number of test takers: 611  
Cumulative test takers' pass rate: 88%;      Number of test takers: 313